

ABSTRACT

An object of the invention is to provide a sheet member processing apparatus by which a necessary working space is secured and a workability can be enhanced in doing maintenance. A housing space (32) in which processing means (26) is housed can be opened and closed by displacing a front cover portion (31) relative to a casing (30) of a casing (21). In the casing (21), a document discharge port (35) is formed upper than the front cover section (31). On the front cover section (31) is provided a document discharge tray (24) which receives a discharged document. When the cover section (31) is made to be displaced relative to the casing main body (30), the document discharge tray (24) is displaced together with the front cover section (31). This makes it possible to secure the large working space and enhance the workability, for instance, when an operator replaces consumable articles such as an ink cartridge (53).